IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, ANDHRA PRADESH
AT HYDERABAD
(Special Original Jurisdiction)
THURSDAY, THE TWENTY FOURTH DAY OF JUNE
TWO THOUSAND AND FOUR
PRESENT
THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE G. BIKSHAPATHY
AND
THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE B.SESHASAYANA REDDY

WRIT PETITION NO : 10389 of 2004

Between:
G. Chalapathi, S/o. G.P. Lakshmaiah, aged 49 years,
A.P.T.S.P.S., A.P. Transco (on deputation), Kurnool, Kurnool District.
..... PETITIONER

AND

1 The Government of Andhra Pradesh, Rep. by its Secretary, Home (Police), Secretariat, Hyderabad - 500 022.
2 The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Lakidikapool, Hyderabad.
3 The Deputy Inspector General of Police, Kurnool Range, Kurnool.
4 The Superintendent of Police, Kurnool district, Kurnool.
5 K. Nageswara Rao, S/o.& age not Known, OSSI,
C/o. Dy. Superintendent of Police, Adoni, Kurnool district.
6 A. Alam, S/o. & age not Known, OSSI,
Tuggali P.S., C/o. Sub Divisional Police Officer,
Dhone, Kurnool District.
.....RESPONDENTS

Petition under Article 226 of the Constitution of India praying that in the circumstances stated in the Affidavit filed herein, the High Court may be pleased to call for records relating to the proceedings of O.A.No.2776 of 1999 dated 29-3-2004 of the A.P. Administrative Tribunal and set aside the same and in consequence thereof to direct the respondents to continue the petitioner as OSSI by issuing a Writ, more particularly in the nature of Writ of Mandamus or any other Writ, Order or direction.

Counsel for the Petitioner: MR. V.V.NARASIMHA RAO

Counsel for Respondents 1 to 4: GP FOR SERVICES-I

Counsel for Respondents 5 & 6: None appeared.

The Court made the following :

THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE G.BIKSHAPATHY
AND
THE HONOURABLE SRI JUSTICE B.SESHASAYANA REDDY

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ORDER:
(Per G.Bikshapathy, J)

This writ petition is filed against the order passed by the A.P.Administrative Tribunal (for short 'the Tribunal') in O.A.No.2776 of 1999 dated 29.03.2004.

2. The petitioner filed the above O.A. seeking promotion to the post of Sub Inspector of Police in the District cadre of Kurnool. It is the case of the petitioner that he was working as Head Constable and he was sent on deputation as Head Constable to A.P.T.S.P.S (Vigilance), A.P.S.E.B. Thereafter, he was promoted as Sub Inspector of Police as there were vacancies. The grievance of the petitioner is that the juniors to him were promoted as Sub Inspectors, and therefore the petitioner ought to be promoted. The Tribunal, after considering the matter, dismissed the O.A. Against the said dismissal order, the present writ petition is filed.

3. We have heard the learned Government Pleader for Services-I and also the learned Counsel for the petitioner.

4. After perusing the order of the Tribunal, we are not inclined to interfere with it. However, since the petitioner made a representation on 07.01.1999 seeking appropriate relief, we find it desirable that the said representation has to be disposed of one way or the other.

5. Accordingly, while dismissing the writ petition, respondents 2 and 3 are directed to consider the representation dated 07.01.1999 filed by the petitioner and pass appropriate orders, if not already

passed, within a period of 6 (SIX) weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this order. No costs.

(G.BIKSHAPATHY, J)

Dated: 24th June, 2004.

(B.SESHASAYANA REDDY, J)

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1.The Hon'ble Sri Justice G.Bikshapathy (for His Lordship's kind perusal).
2.The Hon'ble Sri Justice B.Seshasayana Reddy (for His Lordship's kind perusal).
3.The Secretary, Government of A.P., Home (Police), Secretariat, Hyderabad-500 022.
4.The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Lakidikapool, Hyderabad.
5.The Deputy Inspector General of Police, Kurnool Range, Kurnool.
6.The Superintendent of Police, Kurnool District, Kurnool.
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